

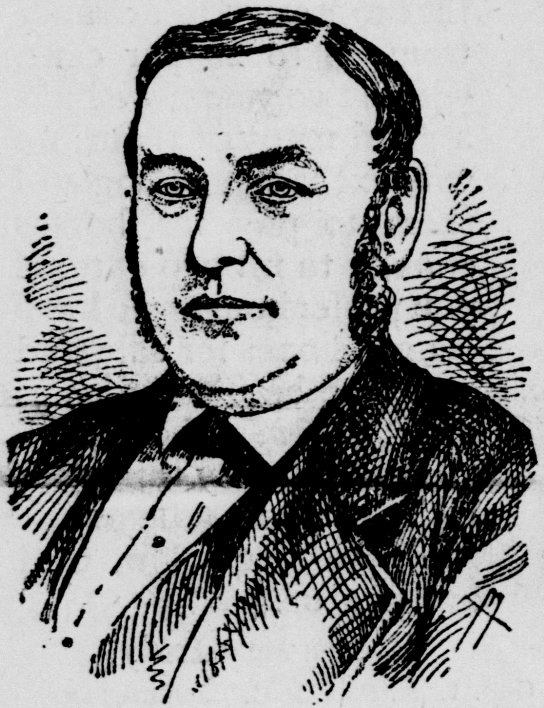
G. W. CHILDS DEAD
IN PHILADELPHIA.END COMES AT THREE O'CLOCK
THIS MORNING.

The Last Hours Peaceful—His Death Removes One of the World's Noblest Men—Sorrow Will Be Genuine and Widespread Throughout the Country.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 3.—G. W. Childs, proprietor of the Public Ledger, died this morning at 3:01 o'clock at his residence at the southeast corner of Twenty-second and Walnut street, from the effects of a stroke of paralysis sustained by him Jan. 18. Early in the night Mr. Childs suffered a sudden relapse. His respiration became embarrassed at 10 o'clock and he steadily grew worse from that hour. At midnight his pulse began to flag noticeably. At 12:15 a. m. the physicians issued a bulletin announcing that his condition was beyond all hope. At 1:15 a. m. a second bulletin was issued to the effect that his respiration was growing weaker and that his strength, which has held up with marvelous persistence through the weeks of his illness, was falling fast.

Except his wife Mr. Childs had no immediate family, but there were gathered at his house at the time of his death George C. Thomas and James W. Paul of the firm of Drexel & Co., Miss Peterson, Mrs. Childs' niece; Miss Stanley, Mrs. Childs' companion; Mr. and Mrs. John Drexel, the son and daughter-in-law of the late A. J. Drexel, and Col. de V. Morrell, husband of the youngest daughter of the late Frank Drexel.

When the news of Mr. Childs' illness was read in the papers throughout the country Friday morning telegrams and letters of sympathy and hope of



GEORGE W. CHILDS.

his speedy recovery began to pour in to his family from eminent and prominent men and women in the United States and from many in England, and the death of no man in America, in public or private life, would cause more generous and widespread sorrow than that of the eminent Philadelphian.

At no time before last night was Mr. Childs unconscious during his illness. He recognized those about his bedside and conversed with them, and expressed any wish for anything he wanted.

The Public Ledger was owned jointly by George W. Childs and the banker, A. J. Drexel. So careful were Mr. Drexel and Mr. Childs to provide for the future of the Ledger that every contingency was foreseen. Under Mr. Drexel's will it is especially provided that on Mr. Childs' death the surviving trustees under the Drexel will shall purchase Mr. Childs' interest in the paper by paying over to Mr. Childs' trustees or executors his interest as bounty. The Public Ledger, it is said, has paid 5 per cent on a capitalization of \$8,000,000 during the last five years.

George William Childs was born in Baltimore, Md., May 12, 1829. He was educated at private schools in his native city and at the age of 13 years entered the United States navy. After remaining in the service fifteen months he quit it and went to Philadelphia, where he obtained employment in a bookstore as shop boy. He was industrious and economical and in four years had saved up a few hundred dollars, enough to open a small store of his own. At the age of 21 he was the head of the publishing firm of Childs & Peterson. He was successful as a publisher and the firm brought out a number of excellent works. In 1863 he retired from the firm and Dec. 3, 1864, he became the proprietor of the Philadelphia Public Ledger, paying for it \$150,000. It was then losing heavily and its circulation was small. In one year Mr. Childs cleared the price of the property. He was best known through his conduct of this paper and by his wonderful benevolence. He apparently conducted business upon principles the opposite to those which govern the ordinary transactions of life. From the first he had been generous, always ready to extend a helping hand to those about him and never sought to triumph at the expense of his individual associates. He prospered so rapidly that in twenty years after he purchased the Ledger he had accumulated a fortune of \$5,000,000 and enjoyed an annual income of \$100,000 from the paper alone. Of this income a large proportion was given away each year in charity.

The list of his benevolences alone would exhaust the space usually de-

voted to the death notices of most rich men. He was of that rare type that prosperity improves instead of injures. At his own expense he caused a stained glass window to be placed in Westminster Abbey in commemoration of the poets, William Cowper and George Herbert, and had a monument placed over the unmarked grave of Leigh Hunt. He rendered a similar service to the memory of Edgar Allan Poe and was the largest subscriber to the fund collected in this country for the purpose of placing a memorial window for the poet Thomas Moore in the church at Bronham. In 1868 he gave to the Philadelphia Typographical society the printers' cemetery, Woodlands, with a liberal sum, the interest of which is expended in keeping the grounds in order. He presented a Shakespeare memorial fountain to the City of Stratford-on-Avon, which was dedicated in 1887. He published a volume of his "Recollections" in 1890.

Mr. Childs visited Chicago in May, 1892, on his way to Colorado Springs to attend the dedication of the Childs-Drexel Printers' Home, to which he contributed \$5,000.

NOT EASY FOR BULLS.

Stagnation in the Week's Speculative Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "A fresh impulse has been given to business this week by the success of the treasury in obtaining gold for its reserve, thus strengthening confidence in its ability to maintain gold payments. Investments in the ordinary sense have been affected very little, and while more demand for time loans has appeared the money market can not be expected to change much with \$245,000,000 cash in banks and more coming from the interior, while the treasury also is compelled to pay out more than it now receives in taxes. Gradual improvement in business explains the appearance of more commercial paper in the market this week than has been seen for a long time, though as yet the vast accumulation of idle funds is proof enough that trade has by no means regained normal proportions. Industrial recovery continues, though but gradual, in response to the demand of a people, whose consumption at its lowest is greater than that of any other country, and more mills are now at work.

"Domestic exports for four weeks have been 14 per cent lower than a year ago, while imports have been 37 per cent smaller. Customs receipts for January were but \$11,500,000, against \$21,000,000 last year, and evidently the success in the sale of bonds is a matter of high importance. Commercial failures for the week number 366 in United States, against 255 last year, and fifty-two in Canada, against forty-six last year, the list including two of over \$250,000 each."

THE NATIONAL TREASURY.

Statement of the Assets and Demand Liabilities Yesterday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The statement of the United States treasury showing the classified assets of the treasury and demand liabilities yesterday is as follows:

ASSETS.	
Gold coin and bullion	\$142,439,826
Silver dollars and bullion	857,868,544
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July 1, 1890	153,064,523
Fractional silver and minor coin	17,087,831
United States notes	40,443,832
United States treasury notes	2,144,258
Gold certificates	16,320
Silver certificates	6,983,872
National bank notes	14,688,673
Deposits with national depositories	
General account	11,789,519
Disbursing officers' balances	3,591,395
Total	\$789,418,795
LIABILITIES.	
Gold certificates	\$77,093,769
Silver certificates	337,104,504
United States Treasury notes	153,057,908
Currency certificates	46,705,000
Disbursing officers' balances, agency accounts, etc.	41,832,446

May Pardon Vaillant.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—The Standard's Paris correspondent says of Vaillant case: "The opinion is growing that President Carnot will not accept the advice of the pardons committee to let justice take its course. It is rumored that Premier Casmir-Perier urges to commute the death sentence on the ground that it is not usual in France to execute it when a man has not actually taken human life. M. Carnot hitherto has not received M. Labori, Vaillant's lawyer, although he never decides in such cases until he has given an audience to the prisoner's counsel."

Balloting Continues in Tennessee.

JACKSON, Tenn., Feb. 3.—The democratic caucus spent five hours balloting for United States senator yesterday. The legislature will have to adjourn in compliance with the constitution on Feb. 10, and the deadlock will have to be broken before that time if a senator is elected. The fifty-ninth ballot resulted as follows: McLaurin, 51; Taylor, 35; Campbell, 28; Lowry, 13; Allen, 2; Shands, 1.

Miners Indicted for Riot.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 3.—Thomas Polanik, a Slav, alleged to have been a leader in the outbreak at the Reading coal mines in the Mansfield district last Saturday, was arrested and committed to jail charged with aggravated riot. There are at present sixty-two of the Mansfield rioters in jail. The grand jury indicted twenty-nine more miners of the Mansfield Valley for riot.

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MOB OF MINERS FAIL
TO STOP OTHERS.THREE HUNDRED ARMED MEN
MARCH ON ACME.

Their Object Was to Force Other Laborers to Quit But After a Hard Fight They Had to Retreat—Miners in the Hocking Valley Not Likely to Accept.

CHARLESTON, W. V., Feb. 3.—A pitched battle between two bodies of three hundred armed miners at Acme, resulted in the defeat of the rioters. One man was killed. The mob were trying to make the force at the Stevens mine quit work.

Reliable information received here states that the miners employed in the Stevens' mines turned out at 4 p. m. nearly 300 strong, armed and prepared to meet the approaching strikers. Two carloads of strikers from the mines above Montgomery, armed with rifles, went to Mouth Creek and started for the mines on foot about 6 p. m.

The miners who went up the Cabin Creek road to Acme by the train which carried the sheriff's party numbered 300 men. They came down on twelve crowded gondolas from Montgomery and points above and reliable information states were all armed with rifles, pistols and shotguns. It is reported from a number of sources that 500 armed men crossed the mountains en route for Acme from Powellton and other points. This raised the number to nearly 900 men, who are more determined than was ever known in the history of this region. The movement seems to be the result of concerted action.

SCALE TO BE REJECTED.

Prospects for the Conference with Hocking Valley Miners.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 3.—The Hocking Valley miners began a two days conference with operators yesterday the purpose being to make one more effort to arrive at an amiable settlement of the wage question. President John Nugent presided. The entire day was spent by the miners trying to agree on some formal line of action, but without result, and at night a joint conference of the miners and operators was held, but no definite action was taken. The outlook is that the scale offered by the operators will not be accepted at the final joint conference to be held to-day.

At midnight the joint convention adjourned without accomplishing anything. Another attempt to get together will be made next Friday in this city.

MANSFIELD, Pa., Feb. 3.—There are now but fifteen deputies guarding the interests of the operators in this district. Sheriff Richards and the mine owners are confident the trouble is at an end. The rebuilding of the burned tipples will not begin for a week or so. At Schullers' mine near Bridgeville, the miners are assisting in the work of clearing the wreck left by the rioters. The armed force at Beadling's has been relieved, but the rifles are still kept at the store in readiness for any emergency. There is some talk that another outbreak will occur as soon as all of the deputies leave, but little credence is given such reports. At Armstrong's, Beadling's, Power's, Steen's, and Pittsburg Furnace company's mines all of the men have returned to work.

Union Pacific Strike Talk.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—The belief is becoming general among local railroad men that the trouble on the Union Pacific road between the receivers and employees on the question of reduction of wages may develop into a strike, in spite of the injunctions of the United States court. The American Railway Union yesterday issued a call for a mass meeting to be held in Omaha the night of Feb. 8 to talk the matter over. The members of the six brotherhoods and of the Knights of Labor are of the same feeling as those connected with the American Railway union, and in case of trouble the men of the three bodies might all quit work together.

Anti-Vaccination Society Active.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 3.—The opposition to the order of the state board of health requiring all school children to be vaccinated is growing, and it promises to develop into a big fight. The Lutheran clergy and local Turner societies have joined with the Anti-Vaccination society in its opposition. The Lutheran clergy are particularly opposed to it, because they regard it as state interference with their private schools. A test case to compel vaccination, begun some months ago in the Circuit court, is pending. If the society is beaten it announces that it will appeal to the Supreme court.

Dr. Talmage's Tour of the World.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—It is announced that Rev. Dr. Talmage has completed arrangements for a tour of the world during the spring and summer. Dr. Talmage will be accompanied by his wife and two daughters and will be absent about five months. It is his intention to preach and lecture in every place he visits while he is away.

Lincoln Homestead a National Park.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 3.—The old Lincoln homestead in Larue county has been purchased by a syndicate of Kentuckians who expect to beautify the place into a park.

VERY, VERY YOUNG
BUT THEY LOVEDHOODWINKED THE GIRL'S PA-
PA AND GOT MARRIED.

Shullsburg Turns Out a Story of John Dunn Aged 18 and Flora Swift Aged 16 and the Romantic Wedding By Which They Outwitted the Old Folks.

SHULLSBURG, Feb. 3.—John Dunn, aged eighteen and Miss Flora Swift, aged sixteen are no longer single. They eloped right from under papa's nose. Flora is the daughter of Frank B. Swift, a wealthy Altonville farmer. She became acquainted with Dunn and directly fell in love. Dunn's attentions became so marked that the father forbade her to see him or have anything more to do with him. Yesterday they came down town and were married. Then they took an inventory and commenced to look seriously on things. The husband had not one cent in his pocket. They couldn't leave town because they had not the fare. They couldn't go to supper for they hadn't the price. They decided to go to papa.

Meanwhile Mr. Swift was watching the depot for two runaway kids. He was surprised enough to see them when they repeatedly ushered themselves into his residence and asked forgiveness. Dunn said he hadn't any money and was a student with nothing but the future to rely upon. The father said that made no difference; he was foolish enough to get married and now he would have to hustle and support the girl.

WILSON BILL WILL GO THROUGH.
Amendments May Be Added But Principal Features Will Stand.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Will the Wilson bill pass the senate? Now that the "smoke of battle has cleared away"—in the house—the tariff warriors are surveying the situation and asking one another that question. Replies are plentiful and varied. No wise man will venture a positive prediction, but there are many who are boldly declaring that the bill will pass in this, that or the other shape, according to their individual preference and fears. The majority of inquiries and speculations relate to the senate's probable action on the income tax portion of the bill and whether the President will veto the measure with the income tax section included. It is impossible to make an accurate forecast. Moreover, a forecast made now may have to be altered a good many times because of unexpected changes in the situation. As things are now, however, and after conversations with leaders of both sides and of both houses, this forecast seems conservative and probable. The bill will not pass the senate in its present shape. The alterations, however, will not be radical. The income tax will probably be left in and a sugar tax is not improbable. The bill will then go to conference. A determined effort will be made by the house conferees to abolish the sugar tax, and they may succeed. The conference report will be agreed to by both houses. The bill will then go to the President and he will sign it.

NOW IT IS HAWAII.

Mr. Boutelle Wants His Resolution to Have Precedence in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Immediately after reading of the journal yesterday Mr. Catchings (dem.) of Mississippi brought in a special order for the consideration of the Hawaiian resolutions. Two legislative days after the adoption of this order are to be for consideration, and the vote will be taken at 4 o'clock on the last day.

Mr. Boutelle (rep.) of Maine made a point of order that his question of privilege relating to his own Hawaiian resolution should take precedence over the special order brought in by Mr. Catchings from the committee on rules. He demanded the previous question on this resolution. Mr. Catchings and Mr. Boutelle had a little disagreement, when the former alluded to the Maine congressman's "harmless mania for making on all occasions an exhibition of himself." Mr. Boutelle demanded a ruling by the speaker on the words. The speaker decided that the language was not parliamentary. After an explanation by Mr. Catchings he was permitted to proceed with his discussion of the order. The special order was finally reported. The resolution condemns Minister Stevens' action, approves the principle of the President against interference with an independent nation, declares annexation or a protectorate inexpedient and warns against foreign intervention.

Mr. Hitt's substitute declares that the President's demand for the surrender of the provisional government and the effort to re-establish the monarchy were unwarranted and contrary to the policy of the United States, approves the right of the present government to pursue its own way and also declares foreign interference an unfriendly act.

Mr. McCreary in the course of a speech censured President Harrison for his haste in drawing up a treaty of annexation with Hawaii and in submitting it to the senate before the people of Hawaii had been heard. He severely criticized the American representative in Honolulu and the United States naval commander for their

actions at the time of the revolution, which, he said, was without parallel in diplomatic history. He declared himself opposed to the annexation of Hawaii, both on policy and on principle. Its population was made up of Japanese, Chinese, Polynesians and Kanakas, and this country did not need any more serious race problem than it now had.

Mr. Hitt (rep., Ill.) followed in opposition. He replied to the assertion that the landing of marines from the Boston was an act of war by stating that the orders specified that they were to be used solely for the protection of life and property. He closed by paying a high tribute to the courage and perseverance of the Americans in Hawaii. Mr. Hitt was given leave to conclude his remarks to-day.

IN THE SENATE.

Mr. Quay Wants to Tack Silver Coinage Onto the Wilson Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—In the senate yesterday Mr. Quay gave notice of an amendment which he proposed to offer to the house tariff bill. One section permits silver bullion to be deposited and coined for the benefit of owners; another provides for the purchase of 145,000 ounces of fine gold every month and the issue of treasury notes in payment therefor, and a third repeals all acts authorizing the issuing of bonds.

The resolution of inquiry offered by Senator Peffer requiring the names of firms making offers for bonds and of those to which bonds are issued, etc., was laid before the senate and Senator Sherman moved to strike out the words requiring names to be given, saying that the publication would be contrary to precedent and might be very injurious to the public credit. After a long discussion Senator Sherman withdrew his amendment, although, he said, it was a very bad example, and the resolution was agreed to.

The Stewart bond resolution was then laid before the senate. Senator Vilas made a legal argument against the resolution and moved an amendment to it so as to permit the application of the proceeds to appropriations made by congress.

Mr. Hoar said the proposition of the secretary to undertake to exercise the power of borrowing money as he proposed to do for the purposes to which he intended to apply it was nothing but a usurpation. At the conclusion of his remarks an agreement was made that the resolution should go over until Wednesday next, when it will come up in the morning hour.

By unanimous consent the federal election repeal bill was given the right of way for Monday. The senate then went into executive session and at 5:15 o'clock adjourned until Monday.

LETTER FROM MINISTER WILLIS.

Dole's Reply Not Received in Time for Transmission to Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The President sent to congress yesterday a letter received from Minister Willis in reference to the reply of

President Dole to the reply of Mr. Willis' request for specific answers to what Mr. Cleveland termed Mr. Dole's "most extraordinary" document. President Dole, in talking of the attitude assumed by the United States government toward Hawaii, said: "This government has been and now is subjected to the necessity of increased watchfulness and large additional expense, which, but for such attitude, would have been unnecessary." This is the extract to which President Cleveland referred as "most extraordinary." The letter was transmitted to congress by the President in a brief message without comment.

AMENDING THE CONSTITUTION.

Committee Reports a Resolution Limiting Terms of Judges.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The house committee on judiciary by a vote of 8 to 0 ordered favorably reported the resolution introduced by Mr. Oates (dem., Ala.), amending the Constitution so as to limit the terms of office of the judges of the supreme and superior courts to ten years, and until their successors are appointed and qualified.

The resolution fixing the term of the President at six years and making him ineligible to succeed himself was called up. An amendment was offered to make the term of office four years and providing that no President should succeed himself. The amendment was discussed and adopted. A vote on the resolution as amended was then taken and it was rejected.

The first Tuesday in March was set aside for hearing arguments for and against the resolution of Mr. Morse (rep., Kas.) recognizing God in the Constitution.

Tax on State Bank Issues Stands.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The proposition to repeal the law imposing a tax of 10 per cent on state bank issues was defeated in the house committee on banking and currency this morning. The pending bill was introduced by Mr. Cox (dem.) of Pennsylvania on Jan. 4. This action of the committee effectively disposes of the state bank tax in the committee for this congress, and as far as that committee is concerned defeats the repeal of the 10 per cent tax on state issues, but the friends of the measure are determined to make their fight on the floor of the house, hoping to reverse the committee's action.

MRS. MAYBRICK SOON
TO BE RELEASED.ENGLAND WILL SECRETLY
AMEND THE WRONG.

If Americans Keep Quiet and Make No Stir the Unfortunate Woman will Be Freed—Premier Dupuy Said to Favor Commuting Anarchist Vaillant's Sentence.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—Mrs. Maybrick, the American woman who is serving a life sentence for the murder of her husband, will soon be quietly released if Americans remain quiet.

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Premier Dupuy favors commuting Bomb-Thrower Vaillant's sentence to life imprisonment.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING AT DELAVAN

Harry Phillips Gets a Revolver Bullet in His Arm.

DELAVAN, Feb. 3.—While Harry I. Phillips and Robert Waite were handling a revolver the weapon was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking Phillips in the left arm, but the arm will be saved.

SCHACK DENIES IT.

Did Not See Coughlin at the Station the Night of May 4.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Evidence introduced by the defense in the Coughlin trial yesterday was to prove that the two pocket knives found on Coughlin at the time of his arrest and identified as the property of Dr. Cronin, did in reality belong to the prisoner. Inspector Schack, Coughlin's superior officer, testified that he did not see him at the station on the night of May 4. This was introduced by the state to offset the evidence of Michael Whelan, who swore that he saw and talked with Coughlin at the station that night. Cross-examination did not weaken any of the witnesses' testimony and neither the case of state or the defense was helped by the day's proceedings.

The discovery by Napier Moreland, the hostler who hitched up the white horse for the stranger, is valuable for the state. He was located in Philadelphia by Capt. Schnettler, who brought him to Chicago, and he is now in charge of Detective Hirsch. He will not be introduced, it is said, unless the defense should offer to produce the mysterious "Smith," in which event Moreland will be brought forward.

HART'S DEFENSE CLOSED.

State Begins the Introduction of Rebuttal Evidence at Rockford.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 3.—In the Hart murder trial yesterday the defense, after calling Dr. Huse and Dr. Butler to testify as to the sanity of the defendant, rested its case. The state then began the introduction of evidence in rebuttal, half a dozen local physicians being called, who swore they believed Hart to be sane. The state still has twenty-four more witnesses who will give evidence in rebuttal. The case will not get to the jury before Tuesday of next week.

Runaway Horse in a Crowd at Boston.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 3.—Men, women, and children were knocked down by a runaway horse on Tremont street, Winter, yesterday afternoon, and seven persons were injured quite badly.

NEWS IN BRIEF

John Noonan and Stephen Douglas were asphyxiated by gas at Lima, Ohio.

Bob Burnett, colored, was publicly whipped at Rushville, Ky., for stealing meat.

Burglars stole \$11,000 from the sale of the Arkadelphia Lumber company at Dalark, Ark.

C. H. Vandebogart is held in \$500 bonds to answer to a charge of bigamy at Baraboo, Wis.

Hiram Bahney, a traveling man, committed suicide at the Park hotel, Decatur, Ill.

Price Lee, colored, killed his wife at Dandridge, Tenn., and was drowned while fleeing from a posse.

Buck Young, a mulatto, was severely whipped by a mob for assaulting a colored girl at Caseyville, Ky.

Ex-Vice-President Leonard, a San Jose, Cal., banker, has been arrested for embezzling \$173,000.

Lee Sang, a Chinese highbinder, was hanged at San Quentin, Cal., for the murder of a fellow countryman.

The safes of the Louisville & Nashville depots at Ashley and Beaumont, Ill., were blown open and a few cents taken.

Edward Rudesal, who in November shot and killed Michael Horen, a Monon fireman, at Lafayette, Ind., has been admitted to bail in \$5,000 by Judge Langdon.

William Hendricks of near White-town, Ind., paid an alleged nephew \$500 for a brass brick thinking it was gold. The same parties failed to work the scheme on Uriah Vermillion of Alexandria.

J. C. Yetzen, president of and owner of about 50 per cent of the stock in the defunct Cass County bank, is under arrest at Atlantic, Iowa, charged with fraudulent banking by W. C. Carter. He is held in \$5,000 bonds.

J. P. Barnes, a tramp killed at Oskaloosa, Iowa, with his companion, fill the description of the Nevada, Iowa, postoffice robbers.

LET PEOPLE VOTE ON A HIGH SCHOOL ELECTION WOULD DECIDE WHETHER TO BUILD.

Proposition For a Reduction in the Number of Courses and a Dropping Of the College Preparatory Work—School Board Has Thrown Off All Responsibility.

Instead of increasing the size of the high school building it is suggested that a change be made in the course of study. The classical course in the high school now fits pupils for the state university. By dropping this course, the critics claim, the need for recitation rooms would be lessened and the present quarters would suffice while the school could be made much more valuable to the hundreds of pupils whose education ends in the high school and who never expect to enter the university doors.

With all these suggestions, however, there is little question as to the necessity for increased accommodations for the high school. "Individuals may differ regarding location of such an institution, or concerning the amount of money to be appropriated, or the style of building, or whether such building shall be erected solely for present needs or for the future. These matters should and must be left to the council and school board. The main question is one which the people at the polls can easily decide, and the matter should be put in their hands."

The board of education by a unanimous vote has resolved that it is necessary to build a new high school. The enrollment in the high school only confirms this action. In making its demand known to the council the school board has relieved itself of responsibility. Now let the common council relieve itself of responsibility by referring the whole question to a popular vote. Then no one but the people can be blamed.

The Gazette agrees with the school board that additional room is required for the accommodation of the high school. Matter of location or the proposed cost of the building, it believes, should be decided at the polls.

COL. SMITH AS A LECTURER

His Talk on Spurgeon Pleased a Delavan Audience Very Much.

Col. Nicholas Smith delivered his lecture "Spurgeon" at the Congregational church at Delavan and of it the Republican said: "Mr. Smith will be remembered by many in Delavan, as he spoke in this place on 'Hymns and Their Writers,' about three years ago and left a very favorable impression with his audience at that time. His lecture last night awakened a deeper interest in the minds of his listeners for the great English divine, and the mighty work he accomplished. The lecturer has a purity of thought and expression quite peculiar to himself, and which discounts anything on a lower plane."

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT AND SUNDAY

JANESVILLE Concordia Society will meet Sunday afternoon in Concordia hall.

ST. PATRICK'S T. A. & B. society will hold a regular monthly meeting Sunday afternoon in their hall, 102 West Milwaukee street.

BRANCH No. 60, Catholic Knights of Wisconsin, will assemble in St. Joseph's convent on Sunday afternoon for their regular monthly meeting.

DIVISION No. 185, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, will assemble Sunday afternoon in regular semi-monthly meeting at 54 West Milwaukee street.

For the Multitude.

Many great blessings of the world can only be had by the few, but here is one for the benefit of all, and absolutely free of charge. Nothing is of more importance to us than our health. It has, until recently, been impossible for the poor, or those living far from large cities, to obtain the best medical advice except at large expense. But now comes forward one of our greatest and most successful specialists in curing nervous and chronic diseases an offer to every one, far and near, the privilege of consulting by letter, without charge. This is none other than the well-known Dr. Greene, of 35 W. 14th Street, New York, the discoverer of that wonderful medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

You who have sought in vain to learn what you are suffering from, or to obtain help, write him a description of your complaint, and he will return you a letter stating exactly what your disease is, and thoroughly describing each symptom, so that you can clearly understand just what ails you. And all this is entirely free of expense to you. The doctor gives most careful and explicit attention to all letters, and is having wonderful success in treating disease through his system of letter correspondence, using as he does, nothing but harmless vegetable remedies in his practice. Write the doctor at once all about your complaint. It is the surest way to regain your health.

This Is What

Dr. Koeb's German Nerve Pills for nervous people. Guaranteed to cure weak memory, loss of brain power and all nervousness to either sex. Price \$1 or 6 for \$5. Dullman's German Medicine Co., Flint, Mich., sole agents for United States and Canada. Sold by Palmer & Stevens.

Buy Dullman's German 25 cent Cough Cure at Palmer & Stevens.

PASSED TO THE OTHER SHORE.

Miss Kizzie Chapple.

The many friends of Miss Kizzie Chapple will be grieved to hear of her death, which occurred in Buffalo, N. Y., Friday, February 2. Miss Chapple came to Janesville from England in 1848 and with the exception of a few years, made this city her home. For the past seven years she has resided in Buffalo. She leaves to mourn her death four sisters and one brother, all of whom are well known in this city. Mrs. A. Downs, of Buffalo; Mrs. Adah Gibbs, recently of this city, now of Madison; Mrs. George Marden, of Ohio; Harry Chapple, of Texas, and Mrs. T. C. Ryckman, of this city. The remains will be laid to rest Sunday, in Forest Lawn cemetery, Buffalo.

Mrs. Johanna Walsh.

Mrs. Johanna Walsh, who died at home in the First ward Friday was seventy-three years of age. Mrs. Walsh suffered a stroke of paralysis

BEST COW ON EARTH WAS RAISED HERE.

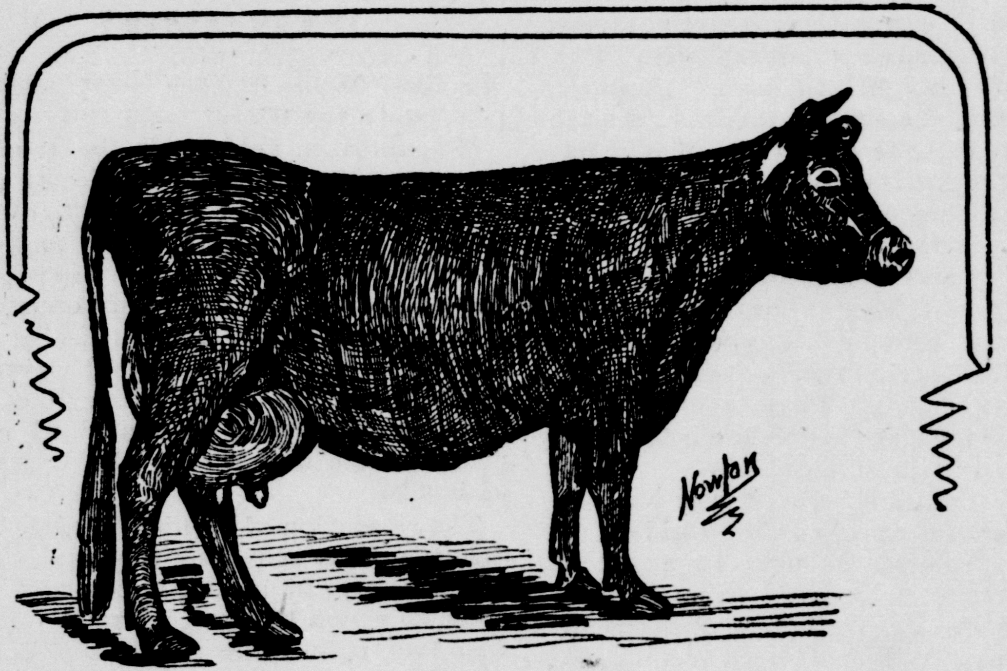
BROWN BESSIE THE WORLD'S
FAIR PRIZE WINNER.

She Died In Transit—H. C. Taylor Bred Her and \$20,000 Was the Price Paid Him When C. I. Hood The Lowell Massachusetts Sarsaparilla Maker Bought Her.

Rock county has produced the best cow that ever breathed.

If you don't believe it ask H. C. Taylor of Orfordville. He sold her to C. I. Hood of sarsaparilla fame for \$20,000.

Brown Bessie was her name and at the stock and dairy exhibit at the World's Fair Mr. Taylor exhibited the famous cow, she having the greatest



some time ago, and this was the cause of her death. She leaves a family of three children—John Walsh and Mrs. C. McCarty of this city, and Mrs. Alice Haslett of Oak Hill, Kansas. Funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The interment will be in Mount Olivet.

NEW ALL ABOUT THE CASE.

Story That Has a Bearing on the Verdict in the Ashton Trial.

The members of the West Side Lime Kiln club were discussing effect of the Ashton petition when Bros. Johnson read a paragraph about Col. Ingersoll's experience while defending the star route cases.

"Every paper in the country but one was against the defense and that one was a little sheet owned by one of the defendants," said Ingersoll.

"I received a note from a man in a little town in Ohio criticizing me for defending the accused. In reply I wrote that I supposed he was a sensible man and that he, of course, knew what he was taking about when he said the accused were guilty. That the prosecution needed just such men as he and that he should come to the trial at once and testify."

"The man wrote back: 'Dear Colonel: I am a fool.'"

MYSTERIOUS JIM SENT TO PRISON

Notorious Crook Gets a Fifteen Years' Sentence in Iowa.

At last they have got "Mysterious Jim" where he belongs; he's in the Iowa state prison for fifteen years. Jim, who is known as James Martin, James Shea, etc., the crook who has operated extensively through southern Wisconsin and makes Beloit and Janesville, his home, was sentenced Jan. 27, at Vinton, Iowa, to fifteen years in the state prison at Anamosa, for holding up the station agent and a trainload of passengers at Luzerne, Iowa, about three months ago. One of his two companions got the same medicine, the other getting ten years.

Good Thing To Keep at Hand.

From the Troy, (Kansas) Chief.

Some years ago we were very much subject to severe spells of cholera morbus; and now when we feel any of the symptoms that usually precede that ailment, such as sickness at the stomach, diarrhoea, etc., we become scared. We have found Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the very thing to straighten one out in such cases, and always keep it about. We are a writing this for a pay testimonial, but to let our readers know what is a good thing to keep handy in the house. For sale by Stearns & Baker, druggists.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders in the Loan, Savings & Building Association of Janesville, Wis., will be held February 5, 1894, at 7:30 p. m., in the municipal court room, for the purpose of electing officers and directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

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Is one of the chief blessings of every home. To always insure good custards, puddings, sauces, etc., use Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk. Directions on the label. Take no substitutes for the Eagle Brand.

CHAT ABOUT JANESVILLE FOLK

"WARNINGS PERIL," first chapter Saturday.

JOHN RICHARDSON chooses a capable vice man, J. F. Latta, of Louisiana, a graduate of the commercial department of King's Business college.

"Anti Higher Criticism or Testimony to the Infallibility of The Bible," for sale at Sutherland's book store.

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VARIED SELECTIONS.

Copenhagen's co-operative bakery is worth \$137,000.

The United States has 696 vessels engaged in foreign trade, while Great Britain has 5,968.

The yield of gold from California mines amounts at present to about \$13,000,000 a year.

The Atlanta Constitution is of the opinion that the South has just about recuperated in wealth what the war cost her.

Peach stones find a ready market in New York. Perfumes, flavoring extracts and prussic acids are distilled from them.

The sultan of Turkey, though a small man, is very muscular, and the strongest of his janissaries has been unable to overcome him in trials of personal prowess.

Alfred Pinchot is the first American to be graduated at a school of forestry and take up forestry as a profession. He is the consulting forester on the estate of George W. Vanderbilt, in the North Carolina mountains.

The losses by fire in the United States in 1893 aggregated \$138,356,940, showing a large increase as compared with the losses of 1892. Embezzlements, frauds and forgeries were reported in this country to the amount of \$19,939,692, which was considerably more than twice the amount divulged in 1892. The total number of suicides reported was 4,436, of whom 858 were women; of murders, 6,515, and of legal executions, 126.

A dude while walking along the streets met a little boy who asked him the time. "Ten minutes to 9," says the dude. "Well," says the boy, "at 9 o'clock get your hair cut," and he took to his heels and ran, the dude after him, when turning a corner, the dude came in contact with a policeman, nearly knocking him down. "What's up?" said the policeman. The dude, very much out of breath, said: "You see that young urchin running along there? He asked me the time. I told him ten minutes to 9, and he said, 'At 9 o'clock get your hair cut.' " "Well," said the policeman, "what are you running for? You've got eight minutes more yet."

BLITHESOME BITS.

She—Why have you never been in love? He—Oh, well, I've never known any rich girls.

Diner—This soup is cold, waiter! Waiter—Is that so, sir? I thought I put plenty of pepper in it!

"Their courtship was full of romance, was it not?" "Very. Neither one of them told the other the truth."

Mistress—Bridget, I don't want you to go out this evening. Maid—Nether do Patrick, mem; he's comin' to say me, mem.

Sarah—She's worth a million, and just the right age for you. Jerry—Any girl worth a million is just the right age for me.

Seedy Inventor—I've got an idea that's worth millions, sir! Capitalist—What do you want for it? Seedy Inventor—Five shillings, sir!

First Messenger Boy, with scorn—I say, what makes you run your legs off like that? Second Messenger Boy, pausing in his rapid sprint—I ain't workin', see? Dis is my day off.

Mrs. Mahoney said she thought the trouble with her husband was patroles. "Patroles?" asked the doctor. "Yes, sir. Mike O'Brien was taken the same way an' the doctor called them Mikerobes."

The Sister's Beau—So, Johnnie, you're going to be a chemist like papa, eh? And did you know this diamond of mine was the same substance as charcoal? Johnnie—No. T. S. B.—And hasn't papa told you that? Johnnie—No. He told me it was paste.

Spoiled Boy—Mrs. Nexblock says I'm the most spoiled boy in town. Mother—She does, does she? I'd just have her know you are trained just as much as her brats, any day. Let me know the next time she passes the house. Spoiled Boy, delighted—Yes'm. Mother—Now, don't forget. I want her to hear me spanking you.

HE AND SHE.

To remove egg stains from spoons rub with moist salt.

"Humming bird's breath" is a new tint in feminine note paper.

Many a woman who cannot drive a nail or a horse can drive a man.

The queen of Greece spends most of her leisure time over needlework.

Lady Isabel Morgesson has devised a woman's pocket hat, she says, cannot be picked.

San Francisco women have the reputation of being better whist players than women of any other American city.

If the rollers of a wringer are sticky or covered with lint, pass a cloth dampened with kerosene between them.

Mrs. George Burbank was granted a divorce in Tacoma, Wash., recently, within three minutes after she filed her petition.

An Edinburgh life insurance man says that the largest mortality rate in indoor occupations is found among liquor sellers.

The registration report of Massachusetts shows that nearly twice as many women as men in that state live to be over 80 years old.

Bracelets are becoming the fashion for leading Europeans. The prince of Wales, the duke of Edinburgh-Saxe-Coburg-Gotha and Kaiser Wilhelm are prominent among the notables whose arms are encircled with bracelets.

Elder Ellis of Stanford, Ky., recently "talked right out" in meeting and surprised his hearers by telling them that he saw in the audience people who hadn't paid their grocery bills for a year, their doctors for two years

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WANTED.

WANTED—Competent girl for housework at 132 Milton avenue.

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WANTED—Girl who is quick and can write a good hand apply at 13 S. Main street.

WANTED—A good, steady, competent black smith. Apply at once to O. E. Truman Lima Center, Rock county, Wis.

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BITS OF DRIFT.

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The fashionable cat at the national show in London this year was blue and long haired.

A neatly printed swinging sign over a Philadelphia door reads: "Repairing Kliner and Diang Neatly Done."

The favorite course of study among the Yale students this year is the constitutional history of the United States.

On a French tombstone is the inscription: "Sacred to the memory of Mlle. —; died April 2, in her 81st year. She never looked her age."

An attachment to typewriters that counts the words as fast as they are formed, and with absolute certainty, has been invented by A. V. Gearhart of Richland Centre, Wis.

Lead colic has been treated most successfully in Paris by administering large doses of olive oil. In chronic cases sixty grammes of oil a day were given with excellent results.

The little villa near Waterloo, where Napoleon planned the historic battle, has been offered for sale by the Belgian architect who has long been the owner of it. It was here, too, that the emperor held his last council of war.

The bank of France has put in circulation notes printed on ramie paper. The notes are of the same form as the old-fashioned ones, but the new paper is lighter and at the same time firmer than the old, and renders a clearer impression, rendering counterfeiting more difficult.

There is church seating capacity in this country for 43,000,000 people. There are 111,036 ministers; this would give to each minister a congregation of 387. Everybody in this country could go to church morning or evening, and one-third of the population could go both times without a single person being forced to stand.

Roscoe Howard of San Diego, Cal., has presented to the Smithsonian institution a white king eagle from Ecuador, where it was captured in the Andes, and said to be the first one of its species ever brought to this country. It is a magnificent looking bird, and, although only six months old, weighs nearly fifty pounds and is about three feet six inches in height.

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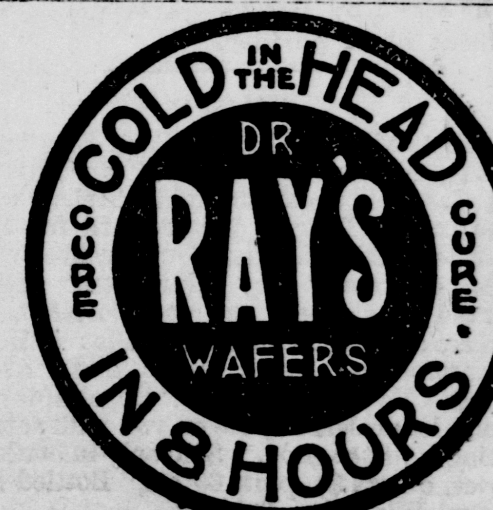
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Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	8:00 a.m.	8:20 p.m.
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Clinton, Beloit		12:15 p.m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford, Omaha	2:10 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb, Rockford	7:00 a.m.	9:12 p.m.
Omaha	12:20 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Evansville, Madison, La Crosse, Winona, St. Paul and Minneapolis	1:20 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul & Duluth	9:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
Beloit	7:00 a.m.	10:10 p.m.
Watertown, Jefferson	8:25 p.m.	7:55 a.m.
Watertown, Green Bay, Milwaukee, Waukesha	12:45 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
Watertown, Fond du Lac, Yadison, La Crosse	6:40 a.m.	10:45 p.m.
Beloit, Chicago	2:15 p.m.	11:05 p.m.
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Milwaukee, Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	7:15 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage, Madison	4:45 p.m.	9:10 p.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage, Madison	4:20 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota, Prairie du Chien	4:20 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
Whitewater, Edgerton and Madison, mixed	4:20 p.m.	7:40 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Freeport, Beloit and Elkhorn, Racine	9:35 a.m.	9:20 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Ia., Omaha and west	1:16 p.m.	9:20 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west	6:20 p.m.	6:55 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Rock Island, mixed	9:20 p.m.	9:20 a.m.
Monroe and Mineral Point	7:05 p.m.	9:25 a.m.
Monroe and Mineral Point (mixed)	5:00 a.m.	4:35 p.m.
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Chicago, North and General	12:40 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
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Rev Father Clarke

A small, dark, oval-shaped portrait of a man with a high-collared coat, likely the Rev. Father Clarke mentioned in the text.

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His Excellency Ex-Gov. J. E. Boyd, of Neb., writes:

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock county.

In the matter of the estate of John Scofield, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of James Hadden, Jr., administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the estate of John Scofield deceased, representing among other things that the said deceased did seized of certain real estate therein described and that it is necessary to the same to pay taxes under the will of said deceased, and praying for license to sell the same, and it appearing to the

court that it is necessary to sell said real estate
 for that purpose, and it is ordered that said pe-
 tition be heard at a special session of said county
 court, to be held at the court house on the 20th
 day of February, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m.; and it
 is further ordered that this order be published
 at least three successive times, the said dates
 fixed for the hearing of said petition, in the
 Janesville Gazette, a daily newspaper pub-
 lished at the city of Janesville, in said county,
 and that a copy thereof be served personally on
 said John A. Fether, and on all persons interested
 in said estate and residing in this county at least
 twenty days before said day.
 By the Court,
 J. W. SALT,
 County Judge.
 FETHERS, JEFFERS & FIFIELD,
 ATTYS. for Petitioner.
 Entered this 12th day of Jan. 1894.
 J. Jewson
 Clerk

PARTITION SALE—STATE OF WISCONSIN.
CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.
 Between H. J. ROBERTSON, Harry A. Murphy and Kate Peters, plaintiffs, and Rebecca Ward, Maud C. Ward, Grace B. Ward, and Rebecca Ward, as guardian of Maud C. Ward and Grace B. Ward, defendants.

By virtue of and pursuant to an order of the Circuit Court for Rock county, duly made in the above entitled action and entered and bearing date the 13th day of March, 1894, the following understood ref-ree in partition, will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the post-office in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, on Monday, the 5th day of March, 1894, at one o'clock in the forenoon of that day, all those certain lots and parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, and known and described as follows, to wit:

One-half of lot twenty-seven (27) of Prase's addition to the city of Janesville, and lots one hundred twenty-two (122), one hundred twenty-five (125) and one hundred twenty-four (124) of Prase's second addition to the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin.

J. L. BEAR, Referee.
 FATHES, JEFFRIES & WARD,
 Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

Dated January 13, 1894.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT
FOR ROCK COUNTY—In the matter of
the estate of **JAMES BOHAN**, deceased, in probate.

On reading and filing the petition of **TIMOTHY M. KUZO**, executor, of the will of **JAMES BOHAN** deceased, representing himself and the things that said deceased died seised of certain real estate therein described, and that it is necessary to sell or encumber the same to pay the debt of **JAMES BOHAN**, said deceased, and praying for license to sell the same, and to encumber the same, if necessary, to pay the debt of **JAMES BOHAN**. In the hands of said executor is sufficient to pay the debt and to leave the said deceased's estate, of administration, and that it is necessary to sell or encumber all or said estate for that purpose.

It is ordered that said petition be heard at a special term of said county court, to be held in and at the town of **WATERLOO**, in said county, on the day of **JANUARY**, in the year of **ONE THOUSAND AND NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FORTY**, at the hour of **ONE O'CLOCK**, in the forenoon, on the **THIRTY** day of **JANUARY**, A. D. 1904, at 9 o'clock a. m., or at such further or other day, time and place as the court shall order. That this order be published at least three successive weeks, before said day fixed for the hearing of said petition, in the **WATERLOO DAILY GAZETTE**, a daily newspaper published in and at said town of **WATERLOO**, in said county, and that a copy thereof be served personally on **MARGARET BOHAN**, and all persons in the estate, in said estate and residing in the county at least ten days before such day.

By the Court,
J. W. SALK, County Judge.

Dated Jan. 27, 1904.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN. COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.
—In probate.
Notice is hereby given that at the regular September term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1893, to-wit: September 4th, 1893, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:
All claims against Christian Louis Wolf, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.
All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 1st day of October, A. D. 1893, or be barred.
Dated, Janesville, Jan. 16, 1893.
By the Court:
J. H. HARRIS, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County.
In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, September 9, A. D. 1894, being September 4, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m. the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against John L. E. Ryan, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 1st day of July, A. D. 1895, to be heard and adjusted, Jan. 10, 1894.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE, County Judge.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of said county court to be h-d in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 30th day of February 1894 at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered: the application of Mary E. Taylor for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Tom Taylor late of the town of Harmony in said county, deceased.

Dated January 23, 1894.

By the Court, JOHN W. SALE, County Judge.

JAS. G. KESTOL, Atty. for petitioner, Whitewater, Wis.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock & Grant in probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term the county court will be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in and for the county of Rock, Wisconsin, on the 30th day of February, A. D., 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m. the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Hendricka Erickson, widow of Thor Erickson, deceased, the doings and the report of E. N. Heinen, H. Olmstead and K. B. Thon, commission-ers appointed to set off the township of the said Hendricka Erickson, to certain lands which said Thor Erickson, ~~de~~ seized, an settling the same, be approved and an attested copy recorded, etc.

By the court,
J. W. SAILE, County Judge.

Dated Jan. 29, 1894.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court
 Notice is hereby given that a special term of the county court to be held in and for the county at the courthouse, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, (the 26th day of February 1884, at 9 o'clock a.m.) the following matter will be heard and considered:
 The application of Elizabeth R. Rosseter, bonis non, with the will annexed for the payment of an administrator of the estate of said decedent, in the town of Magnolia, said county deceased.
 By the court,
 J. W. SALL,
 Clerk.

Dated Jan. 23, 1884.

PRISON FOR LIFE IS HIS SENTENCE.

M. R. ASHTON HEARS HIS PUNISHMENT ANNOUNCED.

Cool and Unconcerned as Ever the Defendant for the First Time Raises Up His Voice in Court and Declares That He Is Innocent of the Crime—He Goes to Madison.

States prison for life was the sentence imposed on Matthew Ashton.

Two hundred people sat in court and heard the sentence read.

Of all that two hundred the coolest was the prisoner.

Twice he interrupted with declarations of innocence, but he spoke unconcernedly and showed no feeling.

Ashton has been a conundrum since the trial opened. He is quick to catch an idea and jokes and laughs with the officers; but shows no realization of the enormity of the crime charged against him.

"If Uncle Dan were alive, I wouldn't be here," he remarked to Deputy Nelson. "I would rather be cutting card wood than be mixed up in this sort of a mess anyway."

"You needn't have come up for me," he said to Sheriff Bear this morning, when the sheriff called for him at the Jefferson county jail. "If you had sent for me I would have come down myself."

District Attorney Wheeler made the motion for sentence when the court was called to order at 10 o'clock. He spoke of the unpleasantness of the district attorney's duty, but said Ashton had had the fairest trial and the most skillful defense he had ever known in his experience as a lawyer.

Crime a Most Fearful One.

"The crime of which the defendant is guilty," he said, "is one of the most awful that has befallen this community. It was a crime not of fury or sudden rage, but committed after deliberation and for the sole purpose of gain. The woman stood between this man and the full enjoyment of a fortune and it was necessary that she be removed. She was removed and the jury has so found. I now move that sentence be pronounced."

Judge Bennett began by reading the indictment in which Ashton was charged with the murder of Mrs. Caroline Stone. As he finished, Ashton, who stood at the bar before him, said firmly:

"I am innocent of the crime."

Judge Bennett paid no attention to the remark, proceeding to review the trial insisting that it was unusually fair. He closed by asking the prisoner if he had anything to say.

"I am innocent of the crime" repeated Ashton stolidly.

"That is all you have to say?"

"That is all, sir."

"No eye saw, no human being was near when Mrs. Stone was killed. You alone know whether you are guilty," Judge Bennett said a little later in his remarks.

Ashton Declares His Innocence.

"Yes sir, I know it, and I am not guilty, mister."

In proceeding to pass sentence the court referred to the fact that ninety-nine out of one hundred men who are guilty still protest their innocence. He spoke of the attempted bribery and to other points against the defendant. As he paused to let Clerk McGowan bring him the revised statutes Ashton seemed to think the affair was ended and walked back to his chair. He was called back.

"Oh, aren't you through yet?" he asked.

Judge Bennett then imposed sentence of life imprisonment at hard labor in State prison, the first two days and June 5 of each year to be in solitary confinement.

A stay of execution for ninety days was granted while an appeal was made to the supreme court. Meanwhile Ashton will be kept in the new jail in Madison, having a comfortable room to himself. He went up with Sheriff Bear at 11:05 but will probably be brought back next week to testify in the Stone will contest. His wife and daughter were in court when sentence was passed and both were in tears. They left the court without bidding the prisoner good bye and hurried down the hill.

Furniture Cheap.

While people with money are looking for bargains call and see me. Commencing Monday morning I will sell at actual cost, for the next 30 days, all upholstered furniture. I have a large line of new goods and will sell any at cost.

Tufted, fringed, plush couches \$15 to \$25.

Tufted, fringed, corduroy couches \$15 to \$20.

Plain, fringed, corduroy couches, \$14.

Ramie lounges \$3.50.

I have a few dozen brace arm, cane seat, oak dining chairs at \$5 per set. Rockers to match at \$1.75.

I have a full line of upholstering material which will be sold cheap. Respectfully yours, W. H. ASHRAFT.

Music Hath charms

To soothe the savage breast; you press the button and we do the rest. S. C. Burnham & Co., the jewelers and music dealers, are the only firm in the city of whom you can get first class music at five cents per sheet. The cheapest this music has been offered is three sheets for twenty-five cents; but Messrs. Burnham & Co. buy it in large quantities and can sell it at five cents a sheet. In connection with this they have on hand all the latest and best publications in the music line just issued in the east.

NEWS OF THE BOWER CITY.

JUDGEMENT reversed—Tnemgdj. □

For coal and wood, Telephone 111.

The rubber shoe trade has been dull this winter.

Try the Riverside for a nicely laundered shirt.

Cloaks at half price and muffs free at Archie Reid's big cloak sale.

The prices sell the goods at the closing sale of J. D. Holmes, on the bridge.

For ten days—Special sale of olives, pickles, etc., in bulk or bottles. Fred Vankirk.

CONCORDIA masquerade ball Tuesday evening, February 6. Smith's full orchestra.

BARGAINS in olives and pickles. From ten cents a bottle up. Fred Vankirk.

THE grandest event of the season will be the Concordia ball next Tuesday evening.

FINEST assortment of olives and bottled pickles ever in the city. Fred Vankirk.

LEAVE your orders for coal and wood with C. A. Sanborn & Co., or Ball & Bates.

ALL orders for wood coal promptly filled by the Janesville Coal Co., J. H. Gateley, Manager.

Who don't like pies? Just go to the Mother Goose show and buy some of the original pie woman.

THE latest slang phrase, which takes the place of "You're not in it," is "You're around the corner."

TEAL Tea! Tea! Only 50 cents a pound, same as others ask \$1 for in packages. Grubb Brothers.

SMITH's full orchestra will play at the Concordia ball next Tuesday evening. A fine time is anticipated.

WHEN a woman asks a brother if her hat is on straight the chances are ten to one that the hat is a new one.

MICHAEL BIRMINGHAM, head-sawyer in the Green & Iman planing mill, is confined to his home by illness.

THE Old Clothes Woman wishes to announce a change in her business, from buying old clothes to selling bran new ones.

In the Three Beggars don't materialize Monday evening, lay it to Charlie Potter's having given them tickets to get them out of town.

WHEN you want a clean shirt, collar or pair of cuffs, go to the Riverside Steam Laundry. You will be sure to be pleased.

SUCH work as the Riverside Steam Laundry is doing is sure to bring it success. The best is always the cheapest, so patronize them.

A SPECIAL invitation has been extended to the mayor and aldermen of the city, to attend the service at Christ church tomorrow night.

THE Little Old Woman that talks out of both sides of her mouth and never keeps quiet, is also one of the attractions for Monday evening.

As we have a large stock of No. 2 nut coal on hand, we have decided to reduce the price to seven dollars per ton. Janesville Coal Company.

We have the other fellows on the hook on the tea question. We are selling the same tea for 50 cents a pound that they ask \$1 for. How's that? Grubb Brothers.

A MOTHER Goose sciable will be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Metcalf, Monday evening February 5. Price of admission including refreshments, ten cents.

ARCHIE REID's half price cloak sale is proving a big success and you can still find a complete line of the popular skirt length jackets in navy, Havana and black at half price and a muff free.

The clearing up sale of heavy dry goods now going on at Archie Reid's offers exceptional values in dress goods, underwear, hosiery, mittens, flannels, blankets, comforters and all classes of housekeeping goods.

We will sell \$4 and \$4.50 shoes at \$2 until Saturday night. Call and see them, second door west of the Bee Hive. A beautiful silver shoe souvenir given with every \$2.50 purchase. Lloyd & Son, 57 Milwaukee street.

We are all ready for business after the fire. All orders for coal and wood left at Brownell & Clemons or Palmer & Stevens or Smith's Drug store will be promptly filled. Janesville Coal Co. J. H. Gateley, Manager.

The cost sale on all heavy weight suits and overcoats will continue at Weisend's clothing store in the Phoenix block, opposite the post office, during the remainder of this week. This means that you can save from 25 to 35 per cent. on your purchases during the balance of this week.

We sell anthracite hard coal, grate, egg, range. No. 4 nut. Soft coal, bird's eye cunel, West Virginia splint, Hocking Indiana block, Illinois, and the celebrated Pocahontas for ranges. JANESVILLE COAL CO.

J. H. Gateley, Manager.

THE best in the market, is the general verdict. Grubb's is the place to buy tea. Mr. ——— charged me \$1 a pound for some tea a couple of weeks ago and today I bought the same thing at Grubb's for 50 cents a pound. In fact he sells everything cheaper than the other grocery men.

A MASQUERADE ball is the best place on earth to have fun. The next one will be the annual ball given by the Concordia society next Tuesday evening. It will take place in their hall and from all the preparations made, there will be a grand time. Nothing is being left undone to make this ball better than any of the former ones. Smith's full orchestra has been engaged for the occasion, and if you want an evening of pleasure attend the Concordia masquerade.

TIME DRAWS NEAR FOR CITY ELECTION.

THREE REPUBLICAN ALDERMEN RETIRE THIS SPRING.

City Treasurer, City Attorney and Street Commissioner Will Be Chosen in April and Janesville People Will Have a Chance to Vote For Circuit Judge.

Tuesday, April 3, occurs the municipal election. Only about six weeks remain for the concentration of sentiment.

Important officers are to be elected this spring. A city treasurer for two years; a school commissioner at large for two years; a justice of the peace for two years; a street commissioner for one year and a sealer of weights and measures for one year. Each ward will elect one alderman for two years, a supervisor and constable for one year, and the Second and Fourth wards will elect each a school commissioner for two years.

Democrats will make every effort to gain control of the common council. Three of the outgoing aldermen are republicans being Aldermen Arnold, Keuck, Carrington, while the two democrats who step out are Aldermen Casey and Smith.

The outgoing officers on the city ticket are:

City Treasurer—Michael Murphy, republican.

City Attorney—Horace McElroy, democrat.

Justice of the Peace—H. S. Sloan, republican.

Street Commissioner—George Hanthorn, republican.

School Commissioner at Large—M. M. Phelps, republican.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Ferdinand Quinn, democrat.

The outgoing aldermen are: H. G. Arnold, First ward, republican.

C. H. Keuck, Second ward, republican.

George L. Carrington, Third ward, republican.

John Casey, Fourth ward, democrat.

Edward Smith, Fifth ward, democrat.

The outgoing supervisors are: First ward, D. P. Smith, republican.

Second ward, W. T. Vankirk, republican.

Third ward, Fenner Kimball, republican.

Fourth ward, C. C. McLean, democrat.

Fifth ward, Ed Bathram, democrat.

The retiring school commissioners are: Second ward—John Slightam, democrat.

Fourth ward—A. G. Anderson, republican.

The constables who step out are: First ward—Charles Terwilliger, republican.

Second ward—A. K. Cutts, republican.

Third ward—Wallace Cochran, republican.

Fourth ward—John W. Hogan, democrat.

Fifth ward—Ed Smith, democrat.

JOLLY NIGHT FOR THE B. P. O. E.

Members and Their Guests Enjoy a Social Session and Banquet.

Janesville Elks were glad last night that they were among the Best People On Earth. They gathered around the banquet table in Castle Hall and enjoyed a supper spread by Caterer Shurtleff. Each member was allowed to introduce one guest, and the company thus made up was a very jolly one. Among those present from other cities were John D. McLeod, of Milwaukee, general manager of the Wisconsin Telephone Company, Commodore Dodd, of Fond du Lac, and Dr. F. H. Bartlett, of Fond du Lac. L. H. Becker was toast master, and "make a speech, sing a song or tell a story," was the rule until midnight. The Janesville Elks are growing in strength, and soon expect to set the pace for the state.

Seeing Is Believing.

Don't neglect your eyesight, as it is the light of the soul, without it your entire life would be in darkness. The sunlight of the world will be shut out from you, and you will be a wanderer on the face of the earth. Of all the five senses, hearing, smelling, tasting and feeling, seeing is the most essential. As one grows older, and even before, the eyes become weak, they wear out or become weak in some way, and need help. They are part of the machinery of the human anatomy and must be taken care of just the same as any other part of the body. Nature has provided a way to do this, through the means of an optician. When your eyes are in any way troubling you, we would advise you to see an optician at once and have them assisted with a pair of spectacles. We would suggest W. F. Hayes at Cook's jewelry store. He is the best in Janesville, and has the best stock of spectacles. Hundreds have tried him and found him a perfect optician. Dr. J. C. Modrack, one of the best physicians in the city says, "he had considerable trouble with his eyes, until he consulted Mr. Hayes, since then he has had no trouble whatever. He takes pleasure in recommending Mr. Hayes as a thorough and reliable optician, and one who can adjust spectacles to the eye in a most scientific and approved manner." Dr. Modrack is now wearing spectacles adjusted by Mr. Hayes.

Consult Mr. Hayes at Cook & Co's. at once. He is there all the time.

George Trenwith Getting Frisky Again.

George Trenwith, who is under \$100 bonds to keep the peace is exhibiting signs of backsliding. The police had to send him home last night after he had been figuring in a fight or two and the first thing he knows the bond will be forfeited and he will be in jail. His father and a neighbor are on the bond.

BRIEF CHIPS OF LOCAL NEWS.

Good Concert For an Organ Fund.

A most excellent entertainment was given at Columbia hall last evening for the benefit of the Presbyterian organ fund. The Beloit College Quartette and C. W. Wood, the colored elocutionist, were the attractions, and the musical and literary features were both thoroughly satisfactory to the audience.

Young People Had a Jolly Time.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hiller, 115 Pearl street, was a scene of merriment Thursday night, a surprise being given to their son George to mark his fourteenth birthday. Supper was served and the evening was spent in music and games. At an early hour Friday morning they departed for their homes.

E. G. Fifield Marks His Birthday.

E. G. Fifield passed his seventy-seventh milestone yesterday and marked the anniversary by a happy family gathering. His sister, Mrs. Bull, and her daughter were present as well as all his own children and grandchildren.

N. O. Clark Is Not Dead.

N. O. Clark is still in the land of the living, notwithstanding the rumor that he had died suddenly at Monticello. He was in Berlin, Wisconsin, yesterday on a business trip.

Lock Drunks Up in Stalls.

Chief of Police Acheson has secured the use of a number of heavy ironed box stalls in the Hadden, Scott & Mount barn, until the jail quarantine is raised.

Bad Boy Taken to Sparta.

Joe Whalen, the tough boy who has been in the hands of the police for some days was taken to Sparta last night by Officer S. W. Jones of the state school.

Peterson-Gavey.

Gilman Peterson and Miss Martha Gavey were united in marriage by Rev. W. H. Wotton, rector of Trinity church. Both the contracting parties are residents of Orfordville.

Funeral of Garrett Veeder.

The funeral of Garrett Veeder will be held from the home, corner of Fourth avenue and Caroline street tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Samuel J. Widner.

Samuel J. Widner died at his home, 118 West Milwaukee street this afternoon of consumption, aged thirty years. Besides his wife, a mother and four brothers and sisters survive.

NOTES FOR A WINTER EVENING

A FIRST ward man who feared he was suffering from appendicitis was assured by his doctor that it was nothing more than "strangled cellular apoplexia."

EDGAR D. ALTEUS and Myrtle E. Robb, were married Wednesday, January 31, at Stewart, Wis. They are now at home, at Leyden.

THE masquerade given by the Janesville Cornet band at the Armory last night was much enjoyed by the fair sized crowd that attended.

JOHN H. GROESBECK and Fred T. Merritt, two old Janesville boys have removed to a new law office in Minneapolis and now occupy rooms 602-4 in the Guaranty Loan Building.

THE funeral of Hon. W. H. Stark will be held from the Congregational church, Shoptown, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends will assemble at the home in Tiffany at 1 o'clock.

MR. and Mrs. Charles A. Sanborn entertained the Fortnightly club at their home on South Main street last evening. Prof. Buell led the discussion, "The Golden Bottle" being the subject.

A MUSICAL epidemic appears to have struck Evansville villagers. Miss E. V. Cornelius returned from that village today and says she has a class of seventy-one under instruction in voice culture in village.

R. A. PROCTOR is going to hold a polo tournament in the Home Circle Athletic Club rooms. Five dollars' entrance will be charged, and two cash prizes of fifty and fifteen dollars, will hang up. Entries can be left with F. C. Stilson or John Donahoe.

NOTICES of events of societies and churches which are given for money making purposes are considered advertising matter and charged up as such, a special low rate being given however. Committees having charge of advertisements will please bear this in mind to avoid misunderstanding.

THE regular men's meeting tomorrow afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. at 3 p. m. will be led by Rev. W. H. Wotton, of Trinity Episcopal church. Subject, "Whose Son Art Thou?" Special music. Rousing chorus singing and short, spicy talks are pleasing features. All men in the city are cordially invited.

MISS NELLIE CONLEY, formerly of this city, but now of Chicago, will be married to John Dorthy, a board of trade man tomorrow afternoon. The ceremony will be performed at the church of the Holy Name and Archbishop Keenan will officiate. Miss Kate Keenan who is to be one of the bridesmaids left for Chicago yesterday.

During the National Love-Feast.

The Young Frenchman—Ah, ah, wretched woman! You would break our engagement for a mere caprice—

The Parisienne—No, George, I loved you still up till yesterday. But my hand has been asked by a Russian vis—

The Young Frenchman—Say no more noble girl. You did exactly right—Chicago Record.

NEW 'PHONES NOT A CERTAIN BOON.

JANESVILLE ALDERMEN ADDRESS BY J. H. McLEOD.

General Manager of the Wisconsin Company Tells Them That the Expiration of Patents Affect All Companies Alike—Local Capital Essential to a New Line.

Another side of the telephone question was presented by John McLeod, general manager of the Wisconsin Telephone Company last evening. Mr. McLeod came by appointment to meet the committee considering the telephone franchise. To a Gazette reporter this morning he said:

If in the opinion of the committee and common council they can get a cheaper and better service in the new company it is certainly their duty to grant the franchise. The Wisconsin Telephone Company has nothing to fear from the opposition of this or any other telephone company.

There is a general misunderstanding concerning telephone patents. There is no more connection between the Wisconsin Telephone Company and the Bell Telephone Company than there is between the Automatic Telephone Company and the Bell company, except that the Wisconsin Telephone Company is using and paying royalty on the Bell machinery because we consider it the best and only practicable machinery in use. If the Automatic company can now use the Bell machinery without paying royalty, the Wisconsin Telephone Company can do the same, and we should be the first to avail ourselves of that privilege and give the benefit to our patrons. Where then would the new company be? The construction of a new plant in your city will call for the expenditure of much money. Your new company may build a new plant here, but not until they can succeed in organizing a local company with local capital to build it. Then, when they commence the use of the Bell machinery, the transmitter, etc., law suits will commence, and these will prove expensive luxuries. The patents that expired a few days ago were only upon the magneto phone which was used years ago when telephones were first put in use. None of the patents on instruments using batteries behind them have expired."

The Stranger Within Thy Gate.

Some days ago a poor, sick tramp was moved here to our city jail; ill, friendless, and all alone—

With no money, and a face so thin and pale.

They did not want him "up there" any more. After getting him through the fever.

So they sent him to Janesville to get well. But alas, hope was a base deceiver.

He was taken worse, though no one knew what the malady was, it terminated in; But 'twas soon discovered to be small pox. Then "they" wanted to get rid of him.

So again the poor sick brother was carried out in the cold and bitter night; With hardly enough to keep him warm. He must struggle through the terrible fight.

A mother's son lay suffering there In a horrible, lonely place; Without a mother to keep him warm. Ora hand to bathe his fevered face.

So patiently he waited, with hardly a mean And yet sometimes tears came to his eyes As he thought of his own loving mother, You could hear his long drawn sighs.

Bravely he bore his increasing pain This stranger within thy gate, Waiting for the third and final summons Beyond this suffering world of fate.

But God had mercy on this poor soul Took him up to his own bliss home Which was not "too good" for such as he He was welcome to come to the throne.

O, city of light, where is your pride? With your churches, whose pines rise so high And your court house fine homes and hospital

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NANIAS!

"Ye-as, suh?"
"What time is it?"
"G y a h d moun'tin' done gone, suh."

"The devil it has! What do you mean, sir, by allowing me to sleep in this shameless and unconscionable manner, when an indulgent government is suffering for my services? What sort of a day is it, sir?"

"Beautiful day, Mr. Waring."

"Then go at once to Mr. Larkin and tell him he can't wear his new silk hat this morning—I want it, and you fetch it. Don't allow him to ring in the old one on you. Tell him I mean the new 'spring style' he just brought from New York. Tell Mr. Ferry I want that new Hatfield suit of his, and you get Mr. Pierce's silk umbrella; then come back here and get my bath and my coffee. Stop, there, Ananias! Give my pious regards to the commanding officer, sir, and tell him there's no drill for 'X' battery this morning, as I'm to breakfast at Moreau's at eleven o'clock and go to the matinee afterwards."

"Beg pardon, suh, but de cunnle's done ordered review fo' de whole command, suh, right at nine o'clock."

"So much the better. Then Capt. Cram must stay, and won't need his swell team. Go right down to the stable and tell Jeffers I'll drive at nine-thirty."

"But—"

"No buts, you incorrigible rascal! I don't pay you a princely salary to raise obstacles. I don't pay you at all, sir, except at rare intervals and in moments of mental decrepitude. Go at once! Allez! Chassez! Skoot!"

"But, lieutenant," says Ananias, his black face shining, his even white teeth all agleam, "Capt. Cram stopped in on de way back from stables to say Glencoe'd sprained his foot and you was to ride de bay colt. Please get up, suh. Boots and saddles'll soun' in ten minutes."

"It won't, but if it does I'll brain the bugler. Tell him so. Tell Capt. Cram he's entirely mistaken; I won't ride the bay colt—nor Glencoe. I'm going driving, sir, with Capt. Cram's own team and road wagon. Tell him so. Going in forty-five minutes by my watch. Where is it, sir?"

"It ain't back from de jeweler's, suh, where you dun lef' it day before yist'day; but his boy's hyuh now, suh, wid de bill for las' year. Whut shall I tell him?"

"Tell him to go to—quarantine. No! Tell him the fever has broken out here again, sir, and not to call until ten o'clock next spring—next mainspring they put in that watch. Go and get Mr. Merton's watch. Tell him I'll be sure to overstay in town if he doesn't send it, and then I can't take him up and introduce him to those ladies from Louisville to-morrow. Impress that on him, sir, unless he's gone and left it on his bureau, in which case impress the watch—the watch, sir, in any case. No! Stop again, Ananias; not in any case, only in the gold hunting case; no other. Now then, vanish!"

"But, lieutenant, 'fo' Gawd, suh, dey'll put you in arrest if you cut's drill time. Cunnle Braxton says to Capt. Cram only two days ago, suh, dat—"

But here a white arm shot out from a canopy of mosquito netting, and first a boot-jack, then a slipper, then a heavy top boot, came whizzing past the ducky's dodging head, and, finding expostulation vain, that faithful servant bolted out in search of some ally more potent, and found one, though not the one he sought or desired, just entering the adjoining room.

A big fellow, too—too big, in fact, to be seen wearing, as was the fashion in the sixties, the shell jacket of the light artillery. He had a full round body, and a full round ruddy face, and a little round visorless cap cocked on one side of a round head, not very full of brains, perhaps, yet reputed to be fairly stocked with what is termed "horse sense." His bulky legs were thrust deep in long boots, and ornamented, so far as the skin-tight breeches of sky blue were concerned, with a scarlet welt along the seam, a welt that his comrades were wont to say would make a white mark on his nose, so red and bulbous was that organ. He came noisily in from the broad veranda overlooking the parade ground, glanced about on the disarray of the bachelor sitting-room, then whirled on Ananias.

"Mr. Waring dressed?"

"No-o, suh; jus' woke up, suh; ain't out o' bed yet."

"The lazy gabondo! Just let me get at him a minute," said the big man, tramping over to the doorway as though bent on invading the chamber beyond. But Ananias had halted short at sight of the intruder, and stood there resolutely barring the way.

"Beg pardon, lieutenant, but Mr. Waring ain't had no bath yet. Can I mix de lieutenant a cocktail, suh?"

"Can you? You black imp of Satan, why isn't it ready now, sir? Sure you could have seen I was as dhy as a limekiln from the time I came through the gate. Hware's the demijohn, you villain?"

"Bein' refilled, suh, down to de sto', but da's a little on de sideboard, suh," answered Ananias, edging over thither, now that he had lured the invader away from the guarded doorway.

"Take it straight, suh, o' wid bitters—o' today?"

"Faith, I'll answer ye as Pat did the parson: I'll take it straight now, and then be drinking the toddy while your honor is mixin' the punch. Give me hold of it, you smudge! and tell your master this review—full-dress—and it's time for him to be up. Has he had his two cocktails yet?"

"The lieutenant doesn't care fo' any dis maw'nin', suh. I'll fetch him his coffee in a minute. Did you see de cunnle's oade'ly, suh? He was lookin' fo' you a moment ago."

The big red man was gulping down a big drink of the fiery liquor at the instant. He set the glass back on the sideboard with unsteady hand and glared at Ananias suspiciously.

"Is it troot' you're tellin', nigger? Hwat did he say was wanted?"

"Didn't say, suh, but de cunnle's in his office. Yahnduh comes de oade'ly, too, suh; guess he must have hyuh'd you was over hyuh."

The result of this announcement was not unexpected. The big man made a leap for the chamber door, only to find it slammed in his face from the other side.

"Hwat the devil's the matter with your master this morning, Ananias?—Waring! Waring, I say! Let me in. The K. O.'s orderly is after me, and all on account of your bringing me in at that hour last night. Tell him I've gone, Ananias. Let me in, Waring, there's a good fellow."

"Go to blazes, Doyle!" is the unfeeling answer from the other side. "I'm bathing." And a vigorous splashing follows the announcement.

"For the Lord's sake, Waring, let me in. Sure, I can't see the colonel now. If I could stand him off until review and inspection's over and he's had his drink he'd let the whole thing drop; but that blackguard of a sinthry has given us away. Sure I told you he would."

"Then slide down the lightning-rod! Fly up the chimney! Evaporate! Dry up and blow away, but get out! You can't come in here."

"Oh, for mercy's sake, Waring! Sure 'twas you that got me into the scrape. You know that I was drunk when you found me up the levee. You made me come down when I didn't want to. Hwat did I say to the man last night, anyhow?"

"Say to him? Poor devil! why, you never can remember after you're drunk what you've been doing the night before. Some time it'll be the death of you. You abused him like a pick-pocket—the sergeant of the guard and everybody connected with it."

"Oh, murder! murder! murder!" groaned the poor Irishman, sitting down and covering his face with his hands. "Sure, they'll court-martial me this time without fail, and I know it. For God's sake, Waring, can't ye let a feller in and say that I'm not here?"

"Hyuh, dis way, lieutenant," whispered Ananias, mysteriously. "Slip out on de po'ch and into Mr. Pierce's room. I'll tell you when he's gone."

And in a moment the huge bulk of the senior lieutenant of Light Battery "X" was being boosted through a window opening from the gallery into the bachelor den of the junior second lieutenant. No sooner was this done than the negro servant darted back, closed and bolted the long green Venetian blinds behind him, tiptoed to the bedroom door, and, softly tapping, called:

"Mr. Waring! Mr. Waring! get dressed quick as you can, suh! I'll lay out your uniform in hyuh."

"I tell you, Ananias, I'm going to town, sir; not to any ridiculous review. Go and get what I ordered you. See that I'm properly dressed, sir, or I'll discharge you. Confound you, sir, there isn't a drop of Florida water in this bath, and none on my bureau! Go and rob Mr. Pierce—or anybody."

But Ananias was already gone. Darting out on the gallery, he took a header through the window of the adjoining quarters through which Mr. Doyle had escaped, snatched a long flask from the dressing table and was back in the twinkling of an eye.

"What became of Mr. Doyle?" asked Waring, as he thrust a bare arm through a narrow aperture to receive the spoil. "Don't let him get drunk; he's got to go to review, sir. If he doesn't, Col. Braxton may be so inconsiderate as to inquire why both the lieutenants of 'X' battery are missing. Take good care of him till the review, sir, then let him go to grass; and don't you dare leave me without Florida water again if you have to burglarize the whole post. What's Mr. Doyle doing, sir?"

"Peekin' froo de blin' in Mr. Pierce's room, suh; lookin' fo' de oade'ly. I done told him de cunnle was alter him, but he ain't, suh," chuckled Ananias. "I fixed it all right wid de gahyd dis maw'nin, suh. Dey won't let 'bout his cuttin' up las' night. He'd forgot de whole t'ing, suh; he allays does; he never does know what's happened de night befo'. He wouldn't 'a' known about dis, but I told his boy Jim to tell him 'bout it alter stables. I told Jim to swesh dat dey'd reported it to de cunnle."

"Very well, Ananias; very well, sir; you're a credit to your name. Now go and carry out my orders. Don't forget Capt. Cram's wagon. Tell Jeffers to be here with it on time." And the lieutenant returned to his bath without waiting for reply.

"Ye-as, suh," was the subordinate answer, as Ananias promptly turned, and, whistling cheerily, went banging out upon the gallery and clattering down the open stairway to the brick-

paved court below. Here he as promptly turned, and, noiseless as a cat, shot up the stairway, tiptoed back into the sitting-room, kicked off his low-heeled slippers, and rapidly, but with hardly an audible sound, resumed the work on which he had been engaged—the arrangement of his master's kit.

Already, faultlessly brushed, folded and hanging over the back of a chair close by the chamber door were the bright blue, scarlet-welted battery trousers then in vogue, very snug at the knee, very springy over the foot. Underneath them, spread over the square back of the chair, a dark-blue, single-breasted frock-coat, hanging nearly to the floor, its shoulders decked with huge epaulettes, to the right one of which were attached the braid and loops of a heavy gilt aiguillette whose glistening pendants were hung temporarily on the upper button. On the seat of the chair was folded a broad soft sash of red silk net, its tassels carefully spread. Beside it lay a pair of long buff gauntlets, new and spotless. At the door, brilliantly polished, stood a pair of buttoned gaiter boots, the heels decorated with small glistening brass spurs. In the corner, close at hand, leaned a long, curved saber, its gold sword-knot, its triple-guarded hilt, its steel scabbard and plated bands and rings, as well as the swivels and buckle of the black sword-belt, showing the perfection of finish in manufacture and care in keeping. From a round leather box Ananias now extracted a new gold-wire fourragere, which he softly wiped with a silk handkerchief, dandled lovingly an instant the glistening tassels, coiled it carefully upon the sash, then producing from the same box a long scarlet horsehair plume he first brushed it into shimmering freedom from the faintest knot or kink, then set it firmly through its socket into the front of a gold-braided shako whose black front was decked with the embroidered cross cannon of the regiment, surmounted by the arms of the United States. This he noiselessly placed upon the edge of the mantle, stepped back to complacently view his work, flicked off a possible speck of dust on the sleeve of the coat, touched with a chamois-skin the gold crescent of the nearest epaulette, then softly, noiselessly as before, vanished through the door-way, tiptoed to the adjoining window, and peeped in. Mr. Doyle had thrown himself into Pierce's armchair, and was trying to read the morning paper.

"Wunner what Mars'er Pierce will say when he gets back from breakfast," was Ananias' comment, as he sped softly down the stairs, a broad grin on his black face, a grin that almost instantly gave place to preternatural solemnity and respect as, turning sharply on the sidewalk at the foot of the stairs, he came face to face with the battery commander. Ananias would have passed with a low obeisance, but the captain halted him short.

"Where's Mr. Waring, sir?"

"Dressin' fo' inspection, captain."

"He is? I just heard in the mess-room that he didn't propose attending—that he had an engagement to breakfast and was going in town."

"Ye-as, suh, ye-as, suh, Gen. Rosseau, suh, expects de lieutenant in to breakfast, but de moment he hyuh'd 'twas review he ordered me to git everything ready, suh. I's goin' fo' de bay colt now. Beg pardon, captain, de lieutenant says is de captain goin' to wear gauntlets or gloves dis maw'nin'?" He wants to do just as de captain does, suh."

What a merciful interposition of Divine Providence it is that the African cannot blush! Capt. Cram looked suspiciously at the earnest, unwinning black face before him. Some memory of old college days flitted through his mind at the moment. "O Kuonopeli!" ("thou dog-faced one!") he caught himself muttering, but negro diplomacy was too much for him, and the innocence in the face of Ananias would have baffled a man far more suspicious. Cram was a fellow who loved his battery and his profession as few men loved before. He was full of big ideas in one way and little oddities in another. Undoubted ability had been at the bottom of his selection over the head of many a senior to command one of the light batteries when the general dismounting took place in '66. Unusual attractions of person had won for him a wife with a fortune only a little later. The fortune had warranted a short leave abroad this very year. (He would not have taken a day over sixty for fear of losing his light battery.) He had been a staidier for gauntlets on all mounted duty when he went away, and he came home converted to white wash-leather gloves because the British horse-artillery wore no other, "and they, sir, are the nattiest in the world." He could not tolerate an officer whose soul was not aflame with enthusiasm for battery duty, and so was perpetually at war with Waring, who dared to have other aspirations. He delighted in a man who took pride in his dress and equipment, and so rejoiced in Waring, who, more than any subaltern ever attached to "X," was the very glass of soldier fashion and mold of soldier form. He had dropped in at the bachelor mess just in time to hear some gabbling youngster blurt out a bet that Sam Waring would cut review and keep his tryst in town, and he had known him many a time to overpersuade his superiors into excusing him from duty on pretext of social claims, and more than once into pardoning deliberate absence. But he and the post commander had deemed it high time to block all that nonsense in future, and had so informed him, and were nonplussed at Waring's cheery acceptance of the implied rebuke and most airy, graceful and immediate change of the subject. The whole garrison was chuckling over it by night.

"Why, certainly, colonel," said he, "I have been most derelict of late during the visit of all these charming people from the north; and that reminds me, some of them are going to drive out here to hear the band this afternoon and take a bite at my quar-

ters. I was just on my way to beg Mrs. Braxton and Mrs. Cram to receive for me, when your orderly came. And, colonel, I want your advice about the champagne. Of course I needn't say I hope you both will honor me with your presence." Old Brax loved champagne and salad better than anything his profession afforded, and was disarmed at once. As for Cram, what could he say when the post commander dropped the matter? With all his daring disregard of orders and established customs, with all his consummate sang-froid and what some called impudence and others "cheek," every superior under whom he had ever served had sooner or later become actually fond of Sam Waring—even stern old Rounds—"old Double Rounds" the boys called him, one of the martinetes of the service, whose first experience with the fellow was as memorable as it was unexpected, and who wound up, after a vehement scoring of some two minutes' duration, during which Waring had stood patiently at attention with an expression of the liveliest sympathy and interest on his handsome face, by asking impressively: "Now, sir, what have you to say for yourself?"

To which, with inimitable mixture of suavity and concern, Sam replied: "Nothing whatever, sir. I doubt if anything more could be said. I had no adequate idea of the extent of my misdoing. Have I your permission to sit down, sir, and think it over?"

Rounds actually didn't know what to think, and still less what to say. Had he believed for an instant that the young gentleman was insincere, he would have had him in close arrest in the twinkling of an eye; but Waring's tone and words and manner were those of contrition itself. It was not possible that one of the boys should dare to be guying him, the implacable Rounds, "Old Grand Rounds" of the Sixth corps, old Double Rounds of the horse artillery of the Peninsula days. Mrs. Rounds had her suspicions when told of the affair, but was silent, for of all the officers stationed in and around the old southern city Sam Waring was by long odds the most graceful and accomplished dancer and German leader, the best informed on all manner of interesting matters—social, musical, dramatic, fashionable—the prime mover in garrison hops and parties, the connecting link between the families of the general and staff officers in town and the linesmen at the surrounding posts, the man whose dictum as to a dinner or luncheon and whose judgment as to a woman's toilet were most quoted and least questioned, the man whose word could almost make or mar an army girl's success; and good old Lady Rounds had two such encumbrances the first winter of their sojourn in the south, and two army girls among so many are subjects of not a little thought and care. If Mr. Waring had not led the second German with Margaret Rounds the mother's heart would have been well-nigh crushed. It was fear of some such catastrophe that kept her silent on the score of Waring's reply to her irate lord, for if Sam did mean to be impertinent, as he unquestionably could be, the colonel she knew would be merciless in his discipline and social amenities would be at instant end. Waring had covered her with maternal triumph and Margaret with bliss unutterable by leading the ante-lenten German with the elder daughter and making her brief stay a month of infinite joy. The Rounds were ordered on to Texas, and Margaret's brief romance was speedily and properly forgotten in the devotions of a more solid if less fascinating fellow. To do Waring justice, he had paid the girl no more marked attention than he showed to anyone else. He would have led the next German with Genevieve had there been another to lead, just as he had led previous affairs with other dames and damsels. It was one of the ninety-nine articles of his social faith that a girl should have a good time her first season, just as it was another that a bride should have a lovely wedding, a belle at least one offer a month, a married woman as much attention at an army ball as could be lavished on a bud. He prided himself on the fact that no woman at the army parties given that winter had remained a wall-flower. Among such a host of officers as was there assembled during the years that followed on the heels of the war it was no difficult matter, to be sure, to find partners for the thirty or forty ladies who honored those occasions with their presence. Of local belles there were none. It was far too soon after the bitter strife to hope for bliss so great as that. There were hardly any but army women to provide for, and even the bulkiest and least attractive of the lot was led out for the dance. Waring would go to any length to see them on the floor but that of being himself the partner. There the line was drawn irrevocably. The best dancer among the men, he simply would not dance except with the best dancers among the women. As to personal appearance and traits, it may be said first that Waring was a man of slender, graceful physique, with singularly well-shaped hands and feet and a head and face that were almost too good-looking to be manly. Dark hazel eyes, dark brown hair, eyebrows, lashes, and a very heavy, drooping mustache, a straight nose, a soft, sensitive mouth with even white teeth that were, however, rarely visible, a clear-cut chin, and with it all a soft, almost languid southern intonation, musical, even ultra-refined, and he shrank like a woman from a coarse word or the utterance of an impure thought. He was a man whom many women admired, of whom some were afraid, whom many liked and trusted, for he could not be bribed to say a mean thing about one of their number, though he would sometimes be satirical to her very face. It was among the men that Sam Waring was hated or loved—loved, laughed over, indulged, even spoiled, perhaps, to any and every extent, by the chosen few who were his chums and intimates—and absolutely hated by a very considerable element that was prominent in

the army in those queer old days—the army of officers, who, by reason of birth, antecedents, lack of education or of social opportunities, were waiting in those graces of manner and language to which Waring had been accustomed from earliest boyhood. His people were southerners, yet, not being slave owners, had stood firm for the union, and were exiled from the old home as a natural consequence in a war in which the south held all against who were not for her. Appointed a cadet and sent to the military academy in recognition of the loyalty of his immediate relatives, he was not graduated until the war was practically over, and then, gazetted to an infantry regiment, he was stationed for a time among the scenes of his boyhood, estranged by his former friends and unable to associate with most of the war-worn officers among whom his lot was cast. It was a year of misery, that ended in long and dangerous illness, his final shipment to Washington on sick-leave, and then a winter of keen delight, a social campaign in which he won fame, honors, friends at court, and a transfer to the artillery and then, joining his new regiment, he plunged with eagerness into the gayeties of city life. The blues were left behind with the cold facings of his former corps, and hope, life, duty, were all blended in hues as roseate as his new straps were red. It wasn't a month before all the best fellows in the batteries swore by Sam Waring and all the others at him, so that where there were five who liked there were at least twenty who didn't, and these made up in quantity what they lacked in quality.

To sum up the situation, Lieut. Doyle's expression was perhaps the most comprehensive, as giving the views of the great majority: "If I were his K. O. and this crowd the court, he'd 'a' been kicked out of the service months ago."

And yet, entertaining or expressing so hostile an opinion of the laughing lieutenant, Mr. Doyle did not hesitate to seek his society on many an occasion when he wasn't wanted, and to solace himself at Waring's sideboard at any hour of the day or night, for Waring kept what was known as "open house" to all comers, and the very men who wondered how he could afford it and who predicted his speedy swamping in a mire of debt and disgrace were the very ones who were most frequently to be found loafing about his gallery, smoking his tobacco and swigging his whisky, a pretty sure sign that the occupant of the quarters, however, was absent. With none of their number had he ever had open quarrel. Remarks made at his expense and reported to him in moments of bibulous confidence he treated with gay disdain, often to the manifest disappointment of his informant. In his presence even the most reckless of their number were conscious of a certain restraint. Waring, as has been said, detested foul language, and had a very quiet but effective way of suppressing it, often without so much as uttering a word. These were the rough days of the army, the very roughest it ever knew, the days that intervened between the incessant strain and tension of the four years' battling and the slow gradual resumption of good order and military discipline. The rude speech and manners of the camp permeated every garrison. The bulk of the commissioned force was made up of hard fighters, brave soldiers and loyal servants of the nation, to be sure, but as a class they had known no other life or language since the day of their muster-in. Of the line officers, stationed in and around this southern city in the lovely spring-tide of 186—, of a force aggregating twenty companies of infantry and cavalry, there were fifty captains and lieutenants appointed from the volunteers, the ranks, or civil life, to one graduated from West Point. The predominance was in favor of ex-sergeants, corporals or company clerks—good men and true when they wore

infantry friends. The post commander, old Rounds, had said nothing, because he had had his start in the light artillery and might have lived and died a captain had he not pushed for a volunteer regiment and fought his way up to a division command and a lieutenant colonelcy of regulars at the close of the war, while his seniors who stuck to their own corps never rose beyond the possibilities of their arm of the service, and probably never will. But Braxton, who succeeded as post commander, knew that in European armies and in the old Mexican wars days the aiguillette was ordinarily the distinctive badge of general officers or those empowered to give orders in their name. It wasn't the proper thing for a linesman—battery, cavalry or foot—to wear, said Brax, and he thought Cram was wrong in wearing it, even though some other battery officers did so. But Cram was just back from Britain.

"Why, sir, look at the life guards! Look at the horse guards in London! Every officer and man wears the aiguillette." And Braxton was a Briton by birth and breeding, and that ended it—at least so nearly ended it that Cram's diplomatic invitation to come up and try some Veuve Cliequot, extra dry, upon the merits of which he desired the colonel's opinion, had settled it for good and all. Braxton's officers who ventured to suggest that he trim the plumage of these popinjays only got snubbed, therefore, for the time being, and ordered to get the infantry full dress forthwith, and Cram and his quartette continued to blaze forth in gilded panoply until long after Sam Waring led his last German within those echoing walls and his name lived only as a dim and mist-wreathed memory in the annals of old Jackson barracks.

But on this exquisite April morning no fellow in all the garrison was more prominent, if not more popular. Despite the slight jealousy existing between the rival arms of the service, there were good fellows and gallant men among the infantry officers at the post, who were as cordially disposed towards the gray lieutenant as were the comrades of his own (colored) cloth. This is the more remarkable because he was never known to make the faintest effort to conciliate anybody and was utterly indifferent to public opinion. It would have been fortune far better than his deserts, but for the fact that by nature he was most generous, courteous and considerate. The soldiers of the battery were devoted to him. The servants, black or white, would run at any time to do his capricious will. The garrison children adored him. There was simply no subject under discussion at the barracks in those days on which such utter variety of opinion existed as the real character of Lieut. Sam Waring. As to his habits there was none whatever. He was a bon vivant, a "swell," a lover of all that was sweet and fair and good and gracious in life. Self-indulgent, said everybody; selfish, said some; lazy, said many, who watched him day-dreaming through the haze of cigar smoke until a drive, a hop, a ride or an opera party would call him into action. Slow, said the men, until they saw him catch Mrs. Winslow's runaway horse just at that ugly turn in the levee below the south tower. Cold-headed, said many of the women, until Baby Brainerd's fatal illness, when he watched by the little sufferer's side and brought her flowers and luscious fruit from town, and would sit at her mother's piano and play soft, sweet melodies and sing in low, tremulous tone until the wearied eyelids closed and the sleep no potion could bring to that fever-racked brain would come at last for him to whom childhood was intense and music at once a passion and a prayer. Men who little knew and less liked him thought his enmity would be but light, and few men knew him so well as to realize that his friendship could be firm and true as steel.

And so the garrison was mixed in its mind as to Mr. Waring, and among those who heard it said at the mess that he meant at all hazards to keep his engagement to breakfast in town there were some who really wished he might cut the suddenly-ordered review and thereby bring down upon his shapely, nonchalant head the wrath of Col. Braxton.

"Boots and saddles" had sounded at the artillery barracks. Mr. Pierce, as battery officer of the day, had clattered off through the north gateway. The battery had marched with dancing plumes and clanking sabers out to the stables and gun-shed. The horses of Lieuts. Doyle and Ferry were waiting for their riders underneath the gallery of their quarters. Capt. Cram, in much state, followed by his orderly bugler and guidon-bearer, all in full uniform, was riding slowly down the sunny side of the garrison, and at sight of him Doyle and Ferry, who were leisurely pulling on their gauntlets in front of their respective doors, looked up their sabers and came clattering down their stairway; but no Waring had appeared. There, across the parade on the southern side, the bay colt, caparisoned in Waring's unimpeachable horse-equipments, was being led up and down in the shade of the quarters, Mr. Pierce's boy Jim officiating as groom, while his confrere Ananias, out of sight, was at the moment on his knees fastening the strap of his master's riding-trousers underneath the dainty gaiter boot, Mr. Waring the while surveying the proceeding over the rim of his coffee-cup.

"Dar, suh. Now into de coat, quick! Yahnduh goes Capt. Cram."

"Ananias, how often have I told you that, however necessary it might be for you to hurry, I never do? It's unbecoming an officer and a gentleman to hurry, sir."

"But you've got to inspect yo' section, suh, befo' you can report to Capt. Cram. Please hurry wid de sash, suh." And, holding the belt extended with clasp it around Waring's slender waist, but the lieutenant waved him away.

"Get thee behind me, imp of Satan!"

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A HEAVY TOP BOOT CAME WHIZZING PAST.

the chevrons, but who, with a few marked and most admirable exceptions, proved to be utterly out of their element when promoted to a higher sphere. The entrance into their midst of Capt. Cram with his swell light battery, with officers and men in scarlet plumes and full-dress uniforms, was a revelation to the somber battalions whose officers had not yet even purchased their epaulettes and had seen no occasion to wear them. But when Cram and his lieutenants came swaggering about the garrison croquet ground in natty shell jackets, Russian shoulder knots, riding breeches, boots and spurs, there were not lacking those among the sturdy foot who looked upon the whole proceeding with great disfavor. Cram had two "rankers" with him when he came, but one had been transferred out in favor of Waring, and now his battery was supplied with the full complement of subalterns—Doyle, very much out of place, commanding the right section (as a platoon was called in those days), Waring commanding the left, Ferry serving as chief of caissons, and Pierce as battery adjutant and general utility man. Two of the officers were graduates of West Point and not yet three years out of the cadet uniform. Under these circumstances it was injudicious in Cram to sport in person the aiguillette and thereby set an example to his subalterns which they were not slow to follow. With their gold hat-brands, cords, tassels and epaulettes, with scarlet plumes and facings, he and his officers were already much more gorgeously bedecked than were their



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WARING'S PERIL.

By Capt. Charles R. King.

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would you have me neglect one of the foremost articles of an artilleryman's faith? Never, sir! If there were a wrinkle in that sash it would cut a chasm in my reputation, sir." And, so saying, he stepped to the open doorway, threw the heavy tassel over and around the knob, kissed his hand jauntily to his battery commander, now riding down the opposite side of the parade, backed deliberately away the full length of the sash across the room, then, humming a favorite snatch from "Faust," deliberately wound himself into the bright crimson web, and, making a broad flat loop near the farther end and without stopping his song, nodded coolly to Ananias to come on with the belt. In the same calm and deliberate fashion he finished his military toilet, set his shako well forward on his forehead, the chin-strap hanging just below the under lip, pulled on the buff gauntlets, surveyed himself critically and leisurely in the glass, and then began slowly to descend the stairs.

"Wait—just one moment, please, sir," implored Ananias, hastening after him. "Jus' happened to think of it, sir: Capt. Cram's wearin' gloves dis mornin'."

"Ah! So much the more chance to come back here in ten minutes. Whoa, coltkins; how are you this morning, sir? Think you could run away if I begged you to pretty hard? You'll try, won't you, old boy?" said Waring, stroking the glossy neck of the impatient bay. "Now, Jim, let go. Never allow anybody to hold a horse for you when you mount. That's highly unprofessional, sir. That'll do." And, so saying, he swung himself into the saddle, and, checking the bounds of his excited colt, rode calmly away to join the battery.

Already the bandmen were marching through the north gate on the way to the broad open field in which the maneuvers were held. The adjutant, sergeant-major, and markers were following. Just outside the gate the post commander was seated on horseback, and Cram had reined in to speak with him. "Now, in his blithest, cheeriest tones, Waring accosted them, raising his hand in salute as he did so:

"Good morning, colonel. Good morning, Capt. Cram. We're in luck to-day. Couldn't possibly have lovelier weather. I'm only sorry this came off so suddenly and I hadn't time to invite our friends out from town. They would have been so pleased to see the battalion—the ceremonies."

"H'm! There was plenty of time if you'd returned to the post at eight yesterday, sir," growled old Bratton. "Everybody was notified who was here then. What time did you get back, sir?"

"Upon my word, colonel, I don't

know. I never thought to look or inquire; but it was long after taps. Pardon me, though, I see I'm late inspecting." And in a moment he was riding quietly around among his teams and guns, narrowly scrutinizing each toggle, trace and strap before taking station midway between his lead drivers, and then, as Cram approached, reporting: "Left section ready, sir."

Meantime, the infantry companies were marching out through the gate and then ordering arms and resting until adjutant's call should sound. Drivers and cannoneers were dismounted to await the formation of the battalion line. Waring rode forward and in the most jovial off-hand way began telling Cram of the incidents of the previous day and his sight-seeing with the party of visitors from the north.

"By the way, I promised Mr. Allerton that they should see that team of yours before they left; so, if you've no objection, the first morning you're on duty and can't go up, I'll take advantage of your invitation and drive Miss Allerton myself. Doesn't that court adjourn this week?"

"I'm afraid not," said Cram, grimly. "It looks as though we'd have to sit to-day and to-morrow both."

"Well, that's too bad! They all want to meet you again. Couldn't you come up this evening after stables? Hello! this won't do; our infantry friends will be criticising us; I see you're wearing gloves and I'm in gauntlets. So is Doyle. We can't fit him out, I'm afraid, but I've just got some from New York exactly like yours. I'll trot back while we're waiting, if you don't object, and change them."

Cram didn't want to say yes, yet didn't like to say no. He hesitated, and—was lost. In another moment, as though never imagining refusal was possible, Waring had quickly ridden away through the gate and disappeared behind the high brick wall.

When the bugle sounded "mount," three minutes later, and the battery broke into column of pieces to march away to the maneuvering grounds, Mr. Ferry left the line of caissons and took command of the rear section. All that the battery saw of Waring or his mount the rest of the morning was just after reaching the line, when the fiery colt came tearing riderless around the field, joyfully dodging every attempt of the spectators to catch him, and reveling in the delight of kicking up his heels and showing off in the presence and sight of his envious friends in harness. Plunge though they might, the horses could not join; dodge though they might the bipeds could not catch him. Review, inspection, and the long ceremonials of the morning went off without the junior first lieutenant of Battery X, who, for his part, went off without ceremony of any kind, Cram's stylish team and wagon with him. That afternoon he reappeared driving about the barrack square, a pretty girl at his side, both engrossed in the music of the band and apparently oblivious of the bot-

tom-up strain of Cram's battery or post commander. "Be gorra!" said Doyle. "I'd like to be in his place now, provided I didn't have to be in it to-morrow."

But when the morrow came there was no Waring with it.

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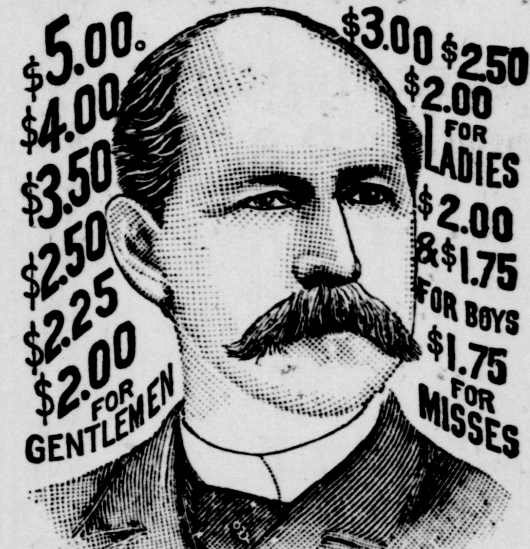
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House, frame..... 300.00

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harness..... 125.00
Plow, cultivator and
tools..... 40.00
Seed for ten acres of
potatoes..... 30.00
Living expenses six
months..... 75.00
Incidentals..... 30.00
Total..... 700.00

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63c. Columbian bed spreads \$1.19. Colored fleeced lined
hose 37½. Children's black wool hose, 25c; heavy cotton
hose 15c. Women's black hose 25c. Women's dressed kid
mittens, lined, black and colors 89c. 500 gross buttons 1c
dozen. Misses' and children's mocha mittens very low. 63
dozen bleached table Damask 60c. Gents' mixed cotton socks,
heavy. 7c corded dress goods. \$5.00 cloaks and many
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The temperature
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